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SPORTING.

Hongkong Shield Competition.

M.M.A. KING ALFRED, 3; W. K.K. CLUB, 2.
In spite of the counter-attraction of off-
day at the Race-course, a large crowd
gathered on the Hongkong Club ground on
Saturday to witness this re-played match in
the second round of the Competition. It
will be remembered that on the previous
Saturday the result was a pointless draw.
Both teams now fielded strong elevens.
In the opening stages the Club had the better
of matters, and the result of the better
play was two goals up. Then the King
Alfred rallied, and within a
quarter of an hour from half-time
Lee had again put the teams level. Hong-
kong tried hard to regain the lead, and
once it looked as if their efforts would be
rewarded with success. They were how-
ever round the King Alfred citadel, when
the keeper came out and took a kick for
the ball to be almost recaptured by one of
the Club forwards. Another shot came in
the Club forward and had not a defender skip-
ped in just in time to intercept a goal
would have been certain. The Naval
men took up the running and Hick-
ling also took the risk of leaving
his charge to kick away. Then a
fine centre from the blue-jackets' outside
left came over, for a corner to result. But
Linton cleared from the kick. At half-time
the score sheet read:—H.K. Club, 2; King
Alfred, 2.

A good centre by Mead was the first
thing of note in the second half, but the
ball dropped among a bunch of players in
front of goal, and was deposited wide of
the mark. A corner later Mead again
recovered from Turner and put in a beauty,
but the K. A. keeper was fully alive to the
situation and got the ball away. Weston
had a fine opening soon after, but he
fired on to the leather too long. Hickling
the blue-jackets' goal. Hickling, the
Club goalie, was called upon to deal with
an easy long shot, and he almost muffed
it. The ball fell to one of the naval front
rankers, who closed the incident by shoot-
ing wide of the mark. The return visit to
the Navy goal was paid by the club for-
wards, Mead sending over a pretty centre,
Williams received, but his shot lacked fire,
and gave the custodian no difficulty what-
soever. Both sides tried their luck without
success. Once the King Alfred's, aided by
a free kick, pressed on the left, and the
result was that Hickling was called upon
to stop a hot handball, which he did well.
A corner was then secured by the naval
men, but a clearance was effected.
Stronach gave-and-take play followed,
both keepers being given occasional
work to do. On one occasion the K. A.
keeper received off a mis-kick from one of
his own backs, and dodged one or two
opponents and cleared. Then the naval
forwards got away. Hickling rushed out
to clear, but the naval outside left dashed
in and sent the ball against the crossbar.
It rebounded into play, and before the
custodian knew where he was the leather
had been rushed through. The result was
about seven minutes from time. While
the Club were attacking Richardson,
the King Alfred left half, fell in an
epileptic fit, and had to be removed
from the field. In subsequent pressure
the naval custodian was called upon to deal
with two fine dropping shots from Barlow,
but he was equal to the occasion. The
Club tried hard to draw level again, but
time was against them, and on the blowing
of the whistle the naval men were a goal
in hand, and thus secured the right to
meet H. M. S. Bedford in the semi-final
on Saturday next.

H.M.S. KENN, 3; W. K.K. CLUB, 0.
Played on the Hongkong Club's ground
on Saturday in the presence of a good
crowd of spectators. From the commence-
ment the sailors monopolised the play, and
when the interval was called they were two
goals up to the Y.M.C.A.'s home. In the
second half the Kenn men were a goal
in hand, and, adding a further point,
qualified for entry into the semi-final.

The Semi-Final.

The second round of the competition
having been completed by Saturday's
games, the teams to meet in the semi-final
are—
H.M.S. KENN, 3; H.M.S. KENN, 0.

H.M.S. KING ALFRED, 2; H.M.S. BEDFORD, 2.
The matches must be played by March
18th.

Interpret Football.

Yokohama beat Kobe at Kobe in the
Interpret Rugby match on February 13 by
three points to nothing.

It is not likely to result in a victory
for the Yokohama team, as they have
lost to the Kobe team in the previous
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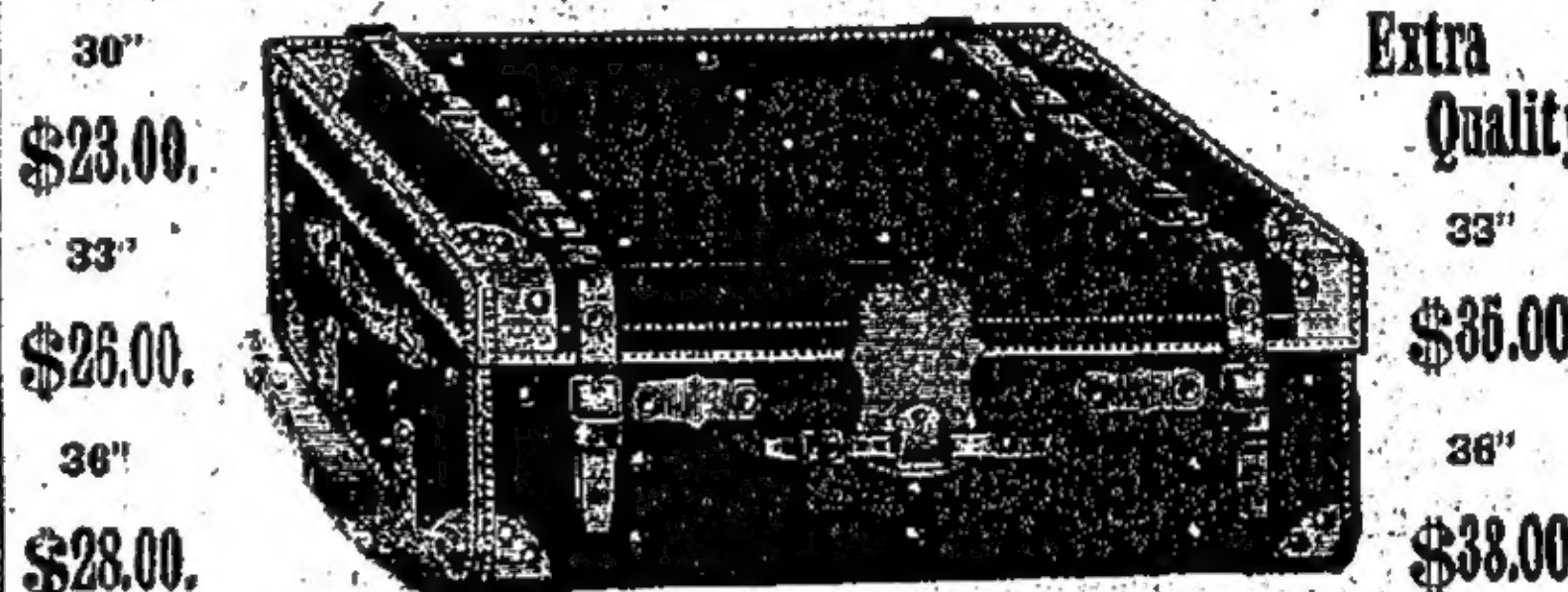
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LONDON LETTER.

(From Our Own Correspondent.)

London, January 12.

There were 279 Fellows elected to the
Colonial Institute during 1908. That is
eleven more than in the year before. Among
those appointed at the last meeting, which
was presided over by Sir Frederick Young,
K.C.M.G., was Commander John G.
Hough, R.N., D.S.O. of Peking.

Captain Norman E. Harding, R.A.M.C.,
has married Miss Dorothy Wetton, eldest
daughter of Mr. Ernest Wetton, late of
Kobe.

The marriage arranged between Miss
Georgie Buckle, only daughter of Lt. Col.
and Mrs. Dudley Buckle, of Bramhall
House, Powburn, Alnwick, and Mr. Charles
Surtees Robinson, second son of Mr. T. C.
Robinson, J.P. of Hunstanton, Norfolk,
will take place in the Federated Malay
States in May.

At St. George's United Free Church,
Edinburgh, on Friday, Dr. George Duncan
Whyte of Swatow was married to Miss
Margaret Marion Moncrieff, eldest daughter
of the late Alexander Moncrieff of Dundee
and London. The officiating ministers
were the Rev. John Kelman, D.D., the
Rev. J. C. Gibson, D.D., of Swatow and
the Rev. C. A. Salmon D.D.

No doubt you have seen a cable showing
how Miss Marion Gilchrist, a Glasgow lady
who was murdered in her flat after the
robbery of a diamond crescent, has left
£5,000 to Mr. James Johnson of Shanghai.
In all, her legacies amounted to £10,000,
but the residue of £22,000 goes to a maid
servant who was twelve years with her.

The police believe they have nailed the
murderer. It was Oscar Slater, arrested at
New York on arrival on the Guisard liner,
Lusitania. Extradition proceedings are
now on. He says he pawned a diamond
crescent in Glasgow about the time of the
murder, but it was one he had bought far
away from Glasgow. The police, however,
are convinced they have the right man.
Another suspect has given some sort of
King's evidence, that confirms the suspi-
cions of the police. The robber-murderer
made a mistake in another way—he let
crooked jewels worth £10,000 in the room.

The *Standard* newspaper says a few
days ago an Ambassadorial Chinese lady
was entertained to dinner by a distinguish-
ed London hostess. After the ladies
had retired into the drawing room, and
the hostess had retired to her room, the
Chinese lady was alone in the room. She
was sitting at a table when a man entered
the room. He was dressed in a tuxedo and
he was very handsome. He came up to her
and he said: "Oh! I shall be de-
lighted to show my face, if you other
ladies will first show me yours. But I had
no idea until now that it was the custom
for gentlemen to show their faces to ladies
after their first dinner." The challenge
was not accepted, and the conversation
took an abrupt turn to other things.

The home papers are anxious as to the
China situation. The divorce of
Yuan Shi Kai, who is described everywhere
as "China's strong man." Experienced
writers comment that it is easy for Prince
Chun to get rid of him but desperately
hard to get rid of the Republic. The
news of Mr. Yuan's divorce is a blow to
the Republic. Mr. Yuan, Wolf in the
Guipin, has come to stay. China is now a
state whether she likes it or not, and in
such a state there is no room for the
methods of the old Manchurian oligarchy.

Sir George Errington, Bart., and Lady
Errington, of Ramsfort, County Wexford,
and Rathliffe, Hampton Court, have just
left for a tour in Siam and Java. Sir
George was formerly Liberal member for
County Londonderry. He is a Knight of the
Order of St. John of Jerusalem.

The approaching departure of the Rev.
Lord William Gascoigne Cecil, son of the
late Lord Salisbury, and now rector of
Rathliffe, to accept a succession with the
mission field of China and to assist in
the establishment of a Christian Chinese
university, is attracting great interest and
much sympathy among Churchmen and un-
iversity men at home. The earnest request of an
international committee of graduates of Oxford
and Cambridge to inquire into the most
suitable site, and he expects to be away
about four months. American mission
educational work has done so much that
our university men are a little ashamed of
the lack of adequate British activities in
the same direction. They don't want to
complete, however, with the Americans,
but to co-operate with them in the exten-
sive work of London. Christian teaching
to Chinese this and Lord William will not
only go through China but on his way
home he will visit America and try to
interest American Mission organizations in
his enterprise. Lady Florence Cecil will
accompany him.

There is still a good deal of military chaf-
ing in regard to German designs on Eng-
land. Silly or well-based, a good many
Englishmen believe that one day we
will come to the clash and Germany has all
her plans ready. The usually well-informed
and correspondent of the *Liverpool Daily
Post* writes thus: "I don't endorse his
views but simply state them as he gives
them."

While Nature was against man just
now, it seems drawn to have to begin the
New Year with warnings of other wars.
Still, it is useless to shut one's eyes to the
danger of Germany. They were on the
border of London. Christmas evening
has been the worst night deal lately of what
goes on at the staff College at Camberley,
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Salmón.—	Yao Yu	每斤	洋	二角五分	大青魚
Shark.—	Sa Yu	每斤	洋	一角九分	鯊魚
Skate.—	Po Yu	每斤	洋	二角二分	鮫魚
Shrimps.—	Ha.	每斤	洋	三角二分	蝦子
Snapper.—	Lap Yu	每斤	洋	二角四分	立魚
—olee.—	Tai Sa Yu	每斤	洋	二角六分	捷沙魚
Tench.—	Wan Yu	每斤	洋	二角七分	口魚
Turbot.—	Cho How Yu	每斤	洋	三角三分	左口魚
Turtles, small, fresh water.—	Korá	每斤	洋	四角	脚魚
White Bait.—	Ngan Yo Chai	每斤	洋	二角八分	銀魚仔

Fruits		etc.	十果
Almonds - Hung Yaa	..	17 80	杏仁
Apples (California) - Kam San Ping	4th	24	金山平
" (Chefoo) - Tin Chun Ping	1st	..	天津平
" Small - Hoi Tong	..	..	海狗
" Custard - Fan Lai Chi	..	each	番荔枝
" ..	Shing	..	香

Bananas, fragrant, Canton...	15	3	省及香
Hong Chiu ...	...	...	...
Bananas, (brides), Macao—San Heng Chiu ...	5	...	山香
Chestnuts, Chinese,—Hong Lat ...	12	...	風栗
Carambola,—Young Tue ...	...	...	楊梅
Crabapple,—Yeh Tze... ..	16	...	檳榔

Lennox, China—Ning Moong	1b 7	井 林 諾
America—Kum San Nip Moong	—	井 林 諾
Lithos Dried—Lai Chi Small Stone	26	砗 磲 石
Fresh—.....	—	砗 磲 石
Limes, (Saigon)—Sai Kung Ning Moong	1b	西 貢 檸檬
Mango, Manila—Lai Sung Moong	—	山 宋 子
Ma' Booteons—San Chuk Tai	—	馬 寶 子
Orange, (Canton)—San Shing Tim Chung lb	6	省 城 橙

Oranges Sweet	...	...	...	...	...	甜橙
Ones, (American),—Kam San Sui, Lt	...	...	...	...	lb 10	金山雪梨
(Canton), Cooking,—Sa Li	...	...	...	...	...	沙梨
Peanuts,—Fa Sang	...	...	...	...	lb 10	花生
Perlimons Large,—Hung Oh	紅梅
Pine-apples, Intiquity,—Sheung Poo T	each 8	本地菠
Far Law	中等菠
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Plantains,—Tai Chou	8
Plums,—Swatow Hang Lai	—
Pumelo, Biam,—Chim Lo Yau	...	each	25
Shanghai,—Lo Kwai	...	lb	16
Walnuts,—Hop	19

大紅梨
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	Green.—Sang Hop Tuo	—	—	—	金山西瓜
	Water Melon.—(Am.) Hum San Sai Kwa...	—	—	—	西瓜
	(China) Sai Kwa ...	—	—	—	生蕃提子
Wh	Grape.—Sang Po Tai Tau ...	—	—	—	

Vegetables, &c

Artichokes, Shanghai	—Sheung Hai Ah
Chai Cheuk	...
Beans, (French), Macao	—Oh Moon Pin Te
Beans, (French), Shanghai	—Sheung Hai

澳門通

Pin Tan ...	...	...	...	上海邊
Sprout,—Ah Choi ...	...	...	...	芽菜
Long,—Tan Kok ...	...	...	...	豆角
Beet Root,—Hung Choi Tan	...	...	...	紅菜

Brinjals, Green.—Ching Yuen Fui	10	青元
" Red.—Hung Kuo...	4	紅茄
Cabbage, Chinese, com.—Kai Choy	2	芥菜
Cabbage Red.—Hung Yee Choy	10	紅椰

Cabbage, (Shanghai),—Yeh Chai	—	椰菜
Cane Shoots, bunch.—Kau Shun	—	蔗芽
Cauliflower, Large size.—Tai Yeh Chai-fa each 15	15	大椰菜
Medium size.—Cheung Yeh Chai-fa	10	中椰菜

Small size, -Sas Tea Chai				
Carrots, -Kam Shun				No 6
Celery, Chinese, -Tong Kan Choi				
English, -Yeung				
Red, -Gon Lat Choi				

Red, -Hung Fa ..	36
Green, -Ching Est Chin ..	1
Curry Staff, English, -Ka Lee Cho ..	8
Ching Kwa ..	500

Bitter Squash, —Fu Kwa	...	...	...	12
Gerilo, —Suen Tau	...	...	...	9
Ginger, young, —Sun Tai Heung	...	...	...	19
...	...	...	...	10

Horse Radish, S'hai - Elk Kan	—	—	20
Indian Corn, Suk Mal	—	—	—
Letitice, - Young Sang Choh	—	—	—
Water Chestnuts, - Ma Tai	—	—	—

鮮魚	W. K. H. CHAN.	桂林馬
魚	Mandarin.—Kwai Lum Ma, Tai.	生草
魚	Mushrooms, Fresh.—Sang Cho Khe.	金山香
魚	Musk Melon.—(Amr. Kan San Hong Kwa each—	
魚	Okra.	

Onions, Bombay.	—	Young Chong Tan	—	洋蔥
" Green.	—	Sang Churg	—	生蔥
" Shanghai.	—	Sheung Hai Chong Tan	—	上海蔥
Papaw, 1st qual.	—	Tai Man Sau Kwa	—	大萬壽

沙	" End "	Chung	"	1	中
鱔	Parsley,—Kun Cho	—	—	per b	10
魚	Green Peas,—Oling Tau	—	—	"	8
鮑	P tatoes, Sweet,—Fan Shu	—	—	"	3

Shanghai, —Sheng Hai Hsu Yau ..	上海
Japan, —Yui Poon Shu Tai ..	日本
American, —Fz KJ ..	花旗
Foochow, —Fuk Chan Shu Tai ..	福州

Pumpkin.—Tung Kwa	...	...	...	...	...
Radish.—Hung Lo Pak Tai	...	...	...	...	...
Rhubarb (Fresh)—Tai Wong	...	...	...	...	...
Sage.—Chi So	...	...	...	...	...
See Chung Tzu	...	...	...	...	...

Spinach.	Yin Choi	...	...	...	...
Tomatoes.	Fan Kee	...	...	...	...
Taro.	Wa Tau	...	...	...	...
Turnip.	Fung, (Hong).	...	...	...	...

黃連	English.—Young Iron Tree	苦	寒	燥	毒
黃蘗	Vegetable Marrow.—Old Tree	苦	寒	燥	毒
黃芩	(Am.)—Kum-Pan-Hang-Kum	苦	寒	燥	毒
黃連	Water Chestnut.—Old Young Tree	苦	寒	燥	毒

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TO IMPROVE THE SUGAR TRADE.

A ROYAL COMMISSION.

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London, February 20.

The Government is appointing a Royal Commission with a view to the improvement of the sugar trade between Canada and the West Indies.

The Commission will include two Canadians, while Sir Daniel Morris will represent the West Indies.

COMPETING WITH THE STEEL TRUST.

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London, February 20.

The New York Steel Trust has announced its intention to modify its prices in view of the price-cutting of independent concerns. A rate war is feared.

KING FERDINAND OF BULGARIA.
RECOGNITION OF HIS KINGSHIP.

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London, February 21.

It is stated that King Ferdinand of Bulgaria, who is visiting St. Petersburg, will be received with the honours due to one of his rank. The Russian Press unanimously favours the formal recognition of his kingship.

Austria is also ready to recognise it.

London, February 22.

Reuter's agent at Constantinople says that the Sublime Porte has circumscribed the Powers, pointing out that the recognition of Ferdinand of Bulgaria with royal honours at St. Petersburg is a derogation of the European understanding that Bulgarian independence must first be recognised by Turkey.

THE AUSTRO-SERVIAN TROUBLE.

DRASTIC MEASURES SUSPENDED.

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A Vienna message states that the drastic measures against Serbia are temporarily suspended, and that an Austro-Turkish agreement is also shortly expected.

AUSTRIAN EMPEROR RECEIVES JAPANESE PRINCE.

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Emperor Francis Joseph, of Austria, has received Prince Kuni of Japan.

TANG SHAO-YI IN PARIS.

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M. Fallieres, President of the French Republic, has received H.E. Tang Shao-yi and his Mission.

ALIENS IN HAWAII.

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London, February 22.

The Honolulu bill prohibiting aliens from exercising fishing privileges in Hawaiian waters, has been introduced in the Senate at Washington.

JAPAN AND THE PACIFIC.

OPINIONS OF MR. KATO.

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London, February 22.

Mr. Kato, the Japanese Ambassador in London, interviewed by Reuter's representative, said Japan meant to be one of the dominant Powers in the Pacific but she would not encroach on the rights of others. She possessed an interest in Hawaii or the Philippines clashing with America.

SOMETHING GOOD.

CHAMBERLAIN'S Cough Remedy is good when you first take cold; good when your cold is settled and your lungs are sore; good when you cannot sleep for anything. The sale by all chemists and druggists.

GREAT BRITAIN AND FISCAL REFORM.

OPPOSITION'S AMENDMENT REJECTED.

(Exclusive Service, supplied by Reuter, via Bombay.)
London, February 20.

In the House of Commons the amendment to the Address on the subject of fiscal reform was rejected by 276 votes to 107.

ARMED ROBBERY.

Ohu Chi was charged at the Criminal Sessions to-day, before the Chief Justice Sir Francis Pigott, with armed robbery. The Hon. Attorney General said that prosecutor was an Indian and lived at Temple Street, Yaumati. As the robbers were leaving the house prisoner was arrested and some of the stolen property was found on him. Prisoner was sentenced to three years' hard labour.

CAUGHT IN THE ACT.

Chan Li pleaded not guilty at the Criminal Sessions, before the Chief Justice Sir Francis Pigott, to-day, to a charge of armed robbery at Cochrane Street. The same jury were sworn as in the other cases. The Hon. Attorney General said that prisoner in company with two other men went to the place, which was a coolie's mess, about 11.30 in the morning. All the coolies were out except the cook, whom they bound; but fortunately he managed to free his legs and ran out of the place calling for help. The robbers were soon coming out and the prisoner was carrying a box which he dropped on seeing a policeman who subsequently arrested him. Evidence was then called. Prisoner was sentenced to five years' hard labour and twenty-four strokes of the birch.

ROBBER WHO KEPT WATCH.

Before the Chief Justice, Sir Francis Pigott, at the Criminal Sessions, to-day, Li Kam Fuk was charged with armed robbery.

The Hon. Mr. W. R. Davies, K.O., Attorney General, said that was another case of armed robbery. The affair had taken place at the Cheung Kung village at midnight, and the prosecutor, a woman, lived with her daughter, aged about seven years. Four men assaulted her while the prisoner kept watch at the door. The prosecutor had been prisoner for many years but she did not know the other robbers. Prisoner had made a statement at the Police Station and in another statement accused a constable of forcing him to make the previous statement. This the constable denied. Evidence was then taken. Prisoner stated he was arrested in Chinese territory. The Hon. Attorney General stated he sought an informant into the Chinese territory and when prisoner came into British territory witness arrested him. The jury returned a verdict of guilty and His Lordship sentenced prisoner to five years' imprisonment with hard labour and twelve strokes of the birch.

THE QUARREL ON THE S.S. KUM SANG.

Leung Sai was charged at the Criminal Sessions to-day, before the Chief Justice Sir Francis Pigott, with wounding with intent.

The Hon. Mr. R. Davies, K.C., Attorney General, prosecuted on behalf of the Crown, instructed by Mr. H. L. Denys, Jr., from the office of Mr. F. B. L. Bowley, Crown Solicitor.

The jury were sworn in as follows:—Messrs J. Ramsey, foreman; L. A. Rose, F. P. de Nascencio Soares, H. G. Scriven, A. Ritchie, H. W. Schierenberg and H. B. Davidson. The Hon. Attorney General said that the prisoner was charged with wounding with intent to do grievous bodily harm. The affair apparently was the result of some petty quarrel and took place on the s.s. Kum Sang. Promoter was a deck boy on board the same ship. A conversation had taken place with regard to 20 cents and prisoner had said that he had paid it to someone else. After inflicting the wounds prisoner let himself down by a rope into a sampan and the sampan was called back by the third officer of the ship and kept in custody until the police arrived. The doctor would state that the prosecutor had been in a critical condition for several hours on account of the tremendous loss of blood, and the prisoner at the Magistrate's had admitted inflicting the wounds but alleged that the prosecutor had first struck him with an iron stick.

Dr. Bell, superintendent of the Government Civil Hospital, in giving evidence stated that in consequence of the wounds the sight of the left eye had completely gone and prosecutor was still in hospital.

The Hon. Attorney General, having previously stated that the s.s. Kum Sang had left the harbour, both the Crown Solicitor and himself only having information of the fact a few minutes ago, the Chief Justice said he did not like the idea of the ship leaving without having given notice.

Further evidence was then taken. His Lordship said the witnesses had entered into recognisances to appear.

Hon. Attorney General, in concluding the evidence of the ship communicated with the magistrate who said he did not think it necessary for them to appear.

His Lordship, in the magistrate's charge, said he did not think it necessary for them to appear. The jury returned a verdict of guilty and His Lordship sentenced the prisoner to three years' hard labour.

COMPANY MEETING.

Hongkong and Whampoa Dock Co., Ltd.

The Hon. W. J. Gresson (chairman of directors) presided at the ordinary yearly meeting of the Hongkong and Whampoa Dock Co., Ltd., held at the Company's Office, Queen's Buildings, at noon to-day.

Those present were:—Sir Paul Chater, Messrs H. A. Siebs, G. Friesland, W. Helms, H. P. White, D. W. Craddock, E. G. Barrett, (directors), R. Mitchell (acting chief manager), T. L. Ross (secretary), T. Skinner, Erich Georg, H. Percy Smith, M. H. Michael, J. A. Chimo, F. Maitland, J. W. C. Bonnar, S. J. Michael, Chou Sui Kee, Chao Leep Chee, Ho Fook, A. A. Merino, Lo Cheung Shui, J. P. Braga, L. Berthodogues, and Ho Kom Tong.

The Secretary read the notice convening the meeting.

The Chairman said:—Gentlemen, with your permission we will take the report and statement of accounts, presented to you some little time ago, as read. The net profits for the half year ending 31st December, 1908, amount to \$281,981.03, as compared with \$274,677.63 for the previous six months and \$190,811.95 for the corresponding period of 1907. Including the balance \$384,847.24 brought forward from last account and deducting Directors' and Auditors' fees, we have available for appropriation the sum of \$638,078.77, out of which sum your Dividend proposal, subject to your approval, to pay a dividend for the half year of 8% or \$4 per share, absorbing \$200,000, places a further sum of \$21,000 to the credit of No. 1 Dock Extension Account, with \$3,000 off the value of Comopolitan Dock, \$25,000 off floating plant, and carry forward \$387,078.77 to the new account. We trust the proposed distribution of profits will meet with your approval. The figures now laid before you are slightly less than for the preceding six months but show an increase of about \$100,000, over those of the corresponding period of 1907.

The work of lengthening the No. 1 Dock has not progressed as quickly as we hoped for, but we find the use of the dock in our business necessarily interferes with and delays the blasting and excavation.

The cause of the No. 3 dock at Kowloon has been overhauled and repaired at a cost of \$5,653.92, which amount, together with \$2,437.78 expended in repairing damage to docks, slips and buildings caused by the typhoon of July, 1906, appears at the debit of Revenue Account. Repairing damage to floating plant after the same typhoon cost us \$8,284; this amount has been passed to the debit of Marine Insurance Account.

The loan from the Admiralty having been paid in full, this account now disappears from the statement and will affect our accounts in that we will not require to remit approximately \$10,000, per annum. The item under the heading of "Auditors' fees" is about the same as in the last account but "auditors' creditors" shows a reduction of \$93,000; this is partly due to there being no instalments paid on work in progress.

As to the value of material on hand, this shows a further reduction of about \$70,000. The tonnage of British and Foreign men of war docked during the past half year was less than half that for the previous six months but slightly better than the corresponding period of 1907. The number of steamers and tonnage of merchant shipping shows little variation over a number of years but with a tendency to increase. We have been fortunate in securing several good repairs, contracts for the period of 1909, which have materially assisted our profits for the period under review.

The buildings, shops and plant have been maintained in good condition and the opportunity of the year has been taken to have the machines a thorough overhaul and adapting them to the requirements for using high speed tool steel. The moorings in front of Kowloon Docks have all been lifted and refitted in good condition. The various improvements and additions at the Kowloon Docks during recent years have put the works in a position for better handling any orders that may be entrusted to us, but one department, namely, the foundry, we require on urgent occasions, as during the past two years, we have been greatly handicapped in not getting castings out as rapidly as was necessary.

After consideration of the report drawn up by the Sub-committee on the subject of the foundry, we have decided to place the foundry in the hands of an expert to make an exhaustive examination of our whole organisation and system of working, and Messrs. Medhurst and Kewick being in England, and conversant with our requirements, your Director requested their assistance in the engagement of a suitable man. Mr. R. M. Dyer, Shipyard Manager with Messrs. Barclay, Curle and Co., Glasgow, has been selected for the appointment and will be in Hongkong in a few days.

Our thanks are due to Mr. George Dodwell (who kindly consented to act for Mr. Medhurst, absent in New York), and Mr. Henry Kewick for the trouble they have taken in this matter. It is too late as yet to attempt to forecast the results of Mr. Dyer's examination, but I am pleased to say he is receiving the cordial co-operation of our Staff, and you may rest assured that any recommendations he may make, having been carefully considered, will be immediately carried out.

As regards the future, I regret to say that our business seems to be suffering from the prevailing depression, as is evidenced by the amount of work we have in hand, which is considerably less than last year. Your Directors realize the urgent necessity of securing new and of holding old and valued customers, and with a continuance of their support, (and we may be able to place satisfactory figures before you in August next.

If any further information is desired I shall be pleased to afford it, before proposing the adoption of the report and accounts. No questions were asked, and the Chairman moved the adoption of the report. Mr. Maitland, seconding, said:—I have great pleasure in seconding the adoption of the report. After the remarks of the Chairman I think there is very little to be said. The shareholders are well looked after by all concerned, and I think the thanks of the shareholders are due to the management and staff and the Board of Directors. I think the shareholders in future will keep the benefits of their operations. I have always heard that the work of the Dock Company is second to none in the world. I hope that will continue, and that we shall adopt the maxim of the Hongkong Telegraph: "We are doing it better than the world."

The motion was adopted. Mr. Gresson moved, and Mr. George Dodwell seconded, the confirmation of the Hon. W. J. Gresson, Messrs. Barrett and E. G. Barrett as directors.—Carried.

Mr. Lo Cheung Shui moved, and Mr. Bonnar seconded, the confirmation of Mr. Siebs as director.—Agreed.

Mr. Berthodogues proposed, and Mr. Ho Fook seconded the re-election of Messrs. Friesland and Craddock as directors.—Carried.

Mr. M. H. Michael moved, and Mr. A. A. Merino seconded the re-appointment of Messrs. H. U. Jeffries and H. Percy Smith as auditors.—Carried.

The Chairman—That is all the business gentlemen. Thank you for your attendance. Dividend warrants will be ready to-morrow on application.

EXECUTION IN HONGKONG.

The execution took place at Victoria Gaol early this morning of Chan Shui, one of the murderers in the recent West Point case. There were present at the execution the chief warder, the assistant superintendent, the medical officer, and the usual escort of officers. Death was instantaneous.

An enquiry into the circumstances attending the death was held this afternoon before Mr. J. H. Kemp, acting as Coroner, and after hearing the evidence the jury found that death was due to dislocation of the neck, deceased being executed in accordance with the sentence passed on January 28th.

ARMED ROBBERY ON A JUNK.

At the Criminal Sessions, before the Chief Justice, Sir Francis Pigott, this afternoon, Hung Tak Uen and U. Ping Chan were placed in the dock on a charge of armed robbery. Both prisoners pleaded guilty and the first one said he did it because the prosecutor owed him money. The Hon. Attorney General said that the offense was committed while the junk was lying off Mon Row. The first prisoner had formerly had a partnership in the junk and at the time of the robbery prosecutor was away. Three men came alongside and were armed. Prisoners were each sentenced to five years' hard labour and twenty-four strokes each.

CORRESPONDENCE.

HONGKONG QUEEN'S COLLEGE ALUMNI ASSOCIATION.

(To the Editor of the "China Mail.")
Sir,—This communication is intended to catch the eye of the Queen's College Old Boys; numbers of whom have oftentimes deplored the absence of an Alumni or Old Boys' Association. The beginning of another College year is an appropriate occasion for directing renewed attention to the need of such an Association to promote the interests of Queen's and to keep touch of Queen's (including her predecessors), the old Central School men the wide world over. It is urged that the formation of the Association should not be longer delayed in view of the large educational projects in the air.

Some old boys have decided to take the matter up promptly and, by means of this announcement, gauge the feeling of other old boys before convening a meeting. Will those who evince any interest send a line in the course of the next fortnight to the undersigned (who will see to the preliminary arrangements)?
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THE VOLUNTEER RESERVE.

(To the Editor of the "China Mail.")
Sir,—Some four or five years ago the Volunteer Reserve Association was inaugurated with a considerable show of enthusiasm. No doubt the personal influence of Sir Matthew Nathan had a good deal to do with its initial success, but it would be hardly fair to the members who in those days attended the regular Saturday afternoon shooting practices to suppose that they were wholly led by that personal influence and had not also some belief that what they were doing was in the service of their country. For the last year or more all this initial enthusiasm appears to have been on the wane, but it can surely scarcely be that all those, including heads of firms and Government departments, who made the association such a success in the first year or two, have changed their minds and now think that what they then did was waste of time.

It seems to me the explanation lies more in the question of management. At its commencement the association had the advantage of the services of a very able and enthusiastic Hon. Secretary in Mr. Trenchard Davis. He did all the hard work of initial organisation and only resigned when he had got the business into good working order; his work was ably carried out by two more honorary secretaries, Mr. Wakeman and Mr. E. R. Carruthers, but since the resignation of Mr. Davis, the work of the association has become a vast waste of time. I am obliged here to enter on personal matters to support my statement. A month or two ago I saw in the papers that I was a candidate for the position of Secretary. I was a candidate, but I have not received the appointment. I am unable to obtain any information as to when I am likely to do so. I have heard of two members who have won posts, but have not after some months, received the money. The results of the weekly shooting used to be put in the papers, but have not been seen there for some months now. I recently met on the same evening two members who said that though they had joined a month previously, they had received no circular as to the dates of shooting. Under conditions such as these it cannot be expected that members will take much interest in the work.

Either the association is worth keeping up or it is not. If the latter it should be wound up at once and not allowed to die a lingering death. I am one who believes in a worth keeping up, and I feel sure that many others who think as I do and who would highly appreciate the action of the Committee if it could amend in remedying the defects which now paralyse the management.—Yours, very truly, C. H. LEE.

PNEUMONIA.

Old people and those who have weak lungs should be particularly guarded against this disease. Pneumonia is always caused by a cold or an attack of influenza, and can be prevented by constantly using Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. We have seen many cases of pneumonia cured by Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. It is a safe and reliable remedy for all cases of pneumonia. For sale by all chemists and druggists.

PRISONER'S SHARE OF THE PROCEEDS.

An Tak, alias An Wan, and Ho Kwong were placed in the dock at the Supreme Court, this morning, before the Chief Justice, Sir Francis Pigott, charged with armed robbery at Yaumati and stealing jewellery.

The first prisoner pleaded guilty and said that he only got \$4 of the proceeds while the second also pleaded guilty and said he got between \$3 and \$4 of the proceeds. The Hon. Mr. R. Davies, K.O., Attorney General, prosecuted on behalf of the Crown, instructed by Mr. H. L. Denys, Jr.

The jury were sworn in as follows:—Messrs J. Ramsey, foreman; A. Rose, F. P. de Nascencio Soares, H. G. Scriven, A. Ritchie, H. W. Schierenberg and H. B. Davidson. The Hon. Attorney General said that this was really a bad case. The prisoners in company with four other men had gone to the house of a woman and commenced talking about sending the house. Then they pushed her down, threatened her with a knife and bound her and asked for money. Two men then came in and they were also bound and the place was ransacked.

His Lordship imposed a sentence of five years' hard labour with twenty-four strokes of the birch each.

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Vanguard Insurance Association Ltd.	12,000	4	60	\$122, buyers
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Shell Transport & Trading Co., Ltd.	200,000	1	1	\$1, buyers
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Shanghai Tug and Lighter Co., Ltd.	100,000	50	25	\$10, 52
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Ramb Aust. Gold Mining Co., Ltd.	200,000	2	1	10/10
HOUSES, ETC.				
Hongkong Hotel Company, Ltd.	12,000	30	all	\$80
Anson House Hotel Co., Ltd. (Shanghai)	30,000	65	25	\$161
REFINERIES.				
A. S. Watson & Co., Limited	50,000	10	10	\$91, sales
Watkins Limited	10,000	10	10	\$24, buyers
WORKING.				
H.K. & China Gas Co., Limited	7,000	2	10	\$200, buyers
Baillie & Co. Gas Company, Ltd.	8,000	10	10	\$121
Hongkong Electric Co., Limited	60,000	10	10	\$123, sellers
MISCELLANEOUS.				
Green Island Cement Co., Ltd.	100,000	10	10	\$9, 60, sellers
H.K. Milling Co., Ltd., in Liquidation	10,000	100	100	\$100
Baillie & Co. Cement Agency, Limited	3,964	2	12/5	12/5
United Asbestos Oriental Agency, Limited	100,000	10	10	\$121
Union Waterfront Co., Limited	50,000	10	10	\$200
Hongkong Dairy Farm Co., Ltd.	25,000	25	10	\$14
Hongkong Ice Company, Limited	5,000	25	all	\$220, sellers
Robinson Photo Co., Limited	4,000	50	50	\$12, sellers
Shanghai Waterworks Co., Ltd.	16,350	50	50	\$12, 4371
H.K. Rope Manufacturing Co., Ltd.	20,000	10	all	\$22
Hongkong Cotton Spinning Co., Ltd.	225,000	10	10	\$91, sellers
Two Cotton Spinning and Weaving Co., Limited	25,000	10	10	\$100
International Cotton Manufacturing Co., Ltd.	10,000	10	10	\$100
Lays & Kow-Mow Cotton Spinning and Weaving Co., Ltd.	8,000	10	10	\$100
Soy Ohio Cotton Spinning Co., Ltd.	30,000	10	10	\$100
Ohio, Provident Loan Mortgage Co., Ltd.	200,000	10	10	\$100
Ohio, Commercial Co., Ltd.	40,000	10	10	\$100
Campbell, Moore & Co., Limited	1,200	10	10	\$100
Wm. Powell, Limited	12,000	10	10	\$100
Song China Morning Post	3,000	10	10	\$100
China Light and Power Company	50,000	10	10	\$100
Shanghai Laundry Company	20,000	10	10	\$100
Wilmington, Limited	175	10	10	\$100
California Co., Limited	31,200	10	10	\$100
Shanghai, Limited	200	10	10	\$100